

NCHASCN
National Coalition of Hospital Associated Schools and Colleges of Nursing

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

Faculty Excellence Award

Nominations are invited for the Faculty Excellence Award, to recognize and honor an exceptional nurse educator from a NCHASCN member school. The educator chosen for the award will receive a \$100 prize and official recognition at the NCHASCN Spring 2013 Annual Meeting and program, and will be the organization's guest at that event.

AWARD CRITERIA

The nominee:

1. Inspires students and colleagues to pursue the knowledge and skills to practice nursing effectively.
2. Maintains excellence in clinical nursing practice.
3. Provides a creative and supportive learning environment for students.
4. Demonstrates excellence in clinical teaching.
5. Demonstrates excellence in classroom teaching.

GUIDELINES

1. To be eligible to receive the Faculty Excellence Award, the nurse must be working as an educator in a NCHASCN member school.
2. Nominations may be submitted by anyone who recognizes excellence in nursing education.
3. Narrative sections of the application should address the award criteria listed above.
4. The application may be typed or printed.
5. The narrative statements (Sections D, E, & F) should omit the nominee's name and place of employment, and references to the nominee's gender. This will assist the Awards Committee to maintain anonymity of the nominees and to base selection solely on the criteria.
6. Applications must be complete and postmarked by the deadline to be considered.
7. The educator being nominated should submit the completed application to the Chair of the Scholarship/Awards Committee:

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Applications must be postmarked by 12 a.m. (Midnight), February 19, 2013.

The award winner will be notified prior to the Spring 2013 Annual Meeting/program.

**NCHASCN
Faculty Excellence Award Application**

Section A: To be completed by Nominator. Also complete Section D.

I nominate _____ for the Faculty Excellence Award.

Nominator's name _____

Nominator's address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (work) _____ Phone (home) _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Section B: To be completed by a colleague of the nominee. Also complete section F and return to the nominee in a sealed envelope.

I endorse the above named nurse educator for the National Coalition's Faculty Excellence Award.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (work) _____ Phone (home) _____

Employer _____

Position _____

Signature _____ Date _____

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Section C: To be completed by Nurse Educator being nominated. Also complete Section E.

Full Name/credentials _____

Home address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: Home _____ Work _____

Employer (School of Nursing) _____

Employer address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Dean/Director name _____ Phone _____

Basic nursing education from _____

City _____ State _____

Initial nursing credential earned _____

Additional degrees (List degree and institution.) _____

Professional certification(s) _____

Professional memberships, honors, awards _____

I agree to be considered for the National Coalition's Faculty Excellence Award. I understand that the NCHASCN may contact my present employer about my nomination, and I authorize said employer to release information pertinent to such a request.

Nominee signature _____ Date _____

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Section E: To be completed by Nurse Educator being nominated. All comments must be contained on one page.

Identify how you have met the following criteria:

1. Inspires students and colleagues to pursue the knowledge and skills to practice nursing effectively.

2. Maintains excellence in clinical nursing practice.

3. Provides a creative and supportive learning environment for students.

4. Demonstrates excellence in clinical teaching.

5. Demonstrates excellence in classroom teaching.

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Section F: To be completed by Colleague. All comments must be contained on one page.

Identify how the nominated nurse educator has met the following criteria:

1. Inspires students and colleagues to pursue the knowledge and skills to practice nursing effectively.

2. Maintains excellence in clinical nursing practice.

3. Provides a creative and supportive learning environment for students.

4. Demonstrates excellence in clinical teaching.

5. Demonstrates excellence in classroom teaching.